

Subject: Andrew Jackson Indian Peace medal

Ballard, Zilla

1926

[Chicago, IL]

Chicago Ill.
Oct. 14, 1926.

American Numismatic So.
155th St. + Broadway
New York City.

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed is a photograph of a silver medal I have, it is the exact size of it. This medal was found in Custer Co. Okla. under a rock with the skeleton of an Indian, the name Bear Shield has been cut just above the word friendship.

There was one exhibited at the Omaha Fair and they said that only six of them had been made. Can you tell me of what value it is? and could I dispose of it?

Very truly yours

Mrs. Gilla Ballard
3310 W. 65th St.

Chicago Ill.



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BROADWAY BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

October 16th, 1926

Mrs. Zilla Ballard
3310 West 65th Street
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Madam:

Replying to your communication of October 14th, we are prepared to offer you thirty-five dollars for your silver Indian medal of Andrew Jackson. Although somewhat scarce, they are not what is considered rare. Hundreds of them were, undoubtedly, given out during Jackson's administration. It is absolutely incorrect that but six of them were issued, as you have heard.

Very truly yours,

Curator

November 11, 1926

Mrs. Zilla Ballard,
3310, West 65th Street,
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Madam:

Your letter with the Jackson Medal at hand. Not having heard from you, we had the chance to buy one of these medals at a sale last week, and consequently do not now care for your specimen; but, as you sent it on, we will try to sell it for you. In fact, a member here today has offered \$30. for it. If you care to sell it for \$30., let us know and we will send you a cheque.

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Very truly yours,

Howland Wood.
Curator

Chicago Ill
Nov. 15, 1926

Dear Sirs:

Please send the cheque for \$30.00

Very truly yours

Zilla Ballard.

November 18, 1926

Mrs. Zilla Ballard,
3310, West 65th Street,
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Madam:

Your letter came yesterday, and as the person
will buy the piece for \$30.00 I am herewith sending you
our cheque for this amount.

Sincerely yours,

Enclosure:
Cheque \$30.00

Curator